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FM AMEMBASSY KINSHASA

TO AMEMBASSY LUANDA NIACT IMMEDIATE

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AMEMBASSY LONDON IMMEDIATE

C O N F I D E N T I A L KINSHASA 6976

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, AO

SUBJ: BRITISH INTENTION TO EVACUATE CONSULATE STAFF FROM  
LUANDA

1. BRITISH EMBASSY HERE HAS INFORMED US THAT LONDON IS  
CONSIDERING SENDING RAF PLANE TO ARRIVE LUANDA MORNING  
OF JULY 27 TO EVACUATE BRITISH CONSULATE STAFF. BRITISH  
BELIEVE THAT AT CURRENT RATE OF FNLA ADVANCE ON LUANDA,  
AIRPORT WILL FALL INTO HOLDEN'S HANDS BY NOON JULY 27.  
BRITISH ALSO CONCLUDE THAT FNLA WILL SOON BE IN LUANDA  
ITSELF AND THAT BLOODBATH WILL ENSUE.

2. WE ABLE HERE TO GIVE BRITISH ONLY PARTIAL STATUS  
REPORT ON FNLA ADVANCE AND HAVE NO INFORMATION RE  
LIKELIHOOD THAT AIRPORT WILL SOON FALL TO HOLDEN.  
WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR ASSESSMENT.  
ANDREW

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